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NEW HORRORS OF WAR.

Barbarities on the Increase.

Recent files of European papers bring fresh details of the horrors still enacting at the seat of war. To-day we give the evidence of several fairly unprejudiced witnesses, and the tale even in its least ghastly form much resembles those with which we are already too familiar.

An officer in the British service, Lieut.-Col. Brackenbury, of the Royal Artillery, is engaged as a special military correspondent of the London 'Times.' In a recent letter to that paper he writes as follows:—

"We all feel sorry for the poor fellows who are driven to fight against a warlike nation from the north, instead of cultivating roses. But the pity becomes mingled with a sterner sense of justice when later we find murdered Bulgarian peasants strewing the ground with their threats cut from ear to ear, and others with gashes on their heads and skulls dashed in. But again comes the recoil to pity when Prince Wichtenstein rides up and says that the Bulgarians are murdering the wounded Turks; the slaves acting like all other enslaved people when they escape from the lash of the master. This war is not an affair of civilization, but of horror upon horror. The Russian officers do all they can to prevent atrocities of every sort. According to regulation the inhabitants, whether Turks or Bulgarians, are treated with mercy and consideration; the code is milder than that of the Prussians, but the Russian soldier looks on the Turk as an animal whom he has to chase and kill. Discipline prevents the Russians from committing excesses, but the Bulgarians have not the same obedience to orders, and have felt the Turkish yoke They will kill if they can. Among the Russian officers it is said, "We began by making war on the Turks for the sake of the Bulgarians; we shall end by making war on the Bulgarians for the sake of the Turks." When later we passed back over the field of battle to visit the wounded the Bulgarian peasants were pillaging the dead, and were driven from their foul work by indignant commands and a threat of Cossack whips. The position of the future ruler of Bulgaria will be extremely difficult. But what is to be expected from a people who have been enslaved for centuries, to whom military service—the true fountain of honor—has been forbidden, whose women have been the property of their masters? I assert from my own knowledge that one of the chief quarrels the Bulgarian men have had with the Turks is that their wives and daughters are violated by their masters, and in many cases are left in the towns to bear children of shame and abhorence. For these things execution is being done, yet down by judges who lack power to guide always the hand of the minister of justice. I write the truth, as I see it, without fear or favor. The Russian officers abhor all these atrocities on the one side as on the other; but situated as this column is at this moment, with enemies on all sides, completely separated from all base of supplies and from all help, the powers of every man being strained to come through in safety, it is impossible to organize a proper system of military police."

The special correspondent of the Edinburgh Scotsman, who was with General Gourkho in his bold ride through Schipka Pass, writing from the officer's headquarters August 1, says:—

"Within thirty yards of where I had sought repose for a few hours of night, I came upon a house, the walls still intact, but with some of the woodwork still smoldering. Such scenes, alas! had during the past ten days been but too common, and I would have passed it by unheeded but that a sickening stench excited my curiosity, and I peeped in at what had been the door. It is no exaggeration to say that what little hair I had left on my head rose with revolting terror at the awful sight presented to me. The shell of the house inclosed a mass of burned Bulgarians! Swollen, blackened corpses on a battle field, mutilated trunks, impaled babies, crucified women, females cut open—all had I seen; yet none possessed half the terrible horror of this ghastly commingling of charred skeletons and half consumed bodies. Only part of them were exposed, for the roof had fallen in on the south side, and covered more than half the floor space; but in the heap nearest the door I counted the remains of 33 human beings, besides the disconnected limbs of many more. They were of all ages and both sexes. On the day before at the capture of Yeni-Zaghra, the Turks in the town had risen upon the Bulgarians and driven them into the houses selected for the purpose, locked them in, surrounded the houses, set fire to them, and made of the Bulgarian wretches a burnt offering to their vengeance. Here, near the door, was the blackened corpse of a man who had tried to force the door while the flames were circling overhead, but he had been shot in the chest, as could be seen from the bullet hole in the charred flesh. There was a skeleton, the vertebræ of which had curled up; another was doubled up with the most expressive contortions; a fourth, apparently that of a woman, had in agony clasped the neck of a fifth at its side. Over against this heap were several with the bones of the legs drawn up, the skull thrown back, and grinning fleshless in the most ghastly manner. The remains of youths and babes were also there, legs and arms twisted and bent past resemblance to human form; while limbs and skulls strewn here and there showed that the hacked bodies of the dead had been thrown into the terrible furnace with the living. Further up the village was another hideous pile, but words fail me, and the heart turns sick at the very remembrance of it. Here I counted the remains of 27 human beings."

Murder Will Out.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heraled through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist .....and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it—Sample bottles 10 cents.

Peruvian Syrup.

Brooks, Me., Sept. 7, 1870.

Dear Sir—From early youth I was in feeble health, troubled with humor in my blood, weakness and debility, of the system generally; was unable to labor much, and only at some light business, and then only with great caution. Seven years ago, the past spring, I had a severe attack of Diptheria which left my limbs paralized and useless, so I was unable to walk or even sit up. Noticing the advertisement of PERUVIAN SYRUP, I concluded to give it a trial, and to my great joy soon found my health improving, I continued the use of the SYRUP until three bottles had been used, and was restored to complete health, and have remained so till this day. I attribute my present health entirely to the use of PERUVIAN SYRUP, and hold it in high estimation. I cannot speak too highly in its praise. I have in several cases recommended it in cases very similar to my own and with the same good results.

Yours truly. CHARLES E. PERCY.

THE arrival of the Amelia Ross and Prince Rupert adds the largest stock of Pianos, Harmoniums, Organs and musical novelties to Messrs. Bagnall & Co.'s establishment ever imported. Amongst the celebrated makers on view are Alexander & Son's, Bord, Broadwood & Son Boosey & Co., Collard & Collard, Christopher & Etenne, Debain, Ivory & Co., Peloubet, Peltan & Co., Thibouville and others. Instruments at all prices and on easy terms.—MESSRS. BAGNALL & Co., 19, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Established 1863.

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JUST RECEIVED.—A very superior hand-slightly sewing machine, the *Osborn B*, also the new *Osborn A*, are in advance of all competitors, having won for themselves unstinted praise and unparalelled success in the comparatively short time they have been before the public. The superiority of these machines over all others are being fully appreciated; a full set of attachments accompany each machine; also, instructions given in the use of them by a first class operator. These machines are thoroughly made in all their parts of the best material, and every machine warranted by the company and its agents. Call and examine whether you intend purchasing or not.—T. FLETCHER, Agent, Fort street, Victoria. Machines repaired.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

Notices.

Notice to Claimants of Land.

Yale District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of Yale have been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of W. Teague, Commissioner, Yale:—

Lots 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38, Group one (1).

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 8th, 1877. se9

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th August, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Stuart's Lake School District, viz:—

All that tract of land included in a circle, which may be described with a radius six miles in length from Fort St. James on Stuart's Lake.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tax under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1876, is past due, and all parties whose Taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office Government street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

my8 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

ASSAYING.

William J. Sutton,

(Lately of the School of Mines, New York,)

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RESIDENCE—Fisgard street, fourth door east of St. John's Church. se5

NOTICE.

Town of Clinton, Lillooet District.

NOTICE is hereby given that lots fifty-one (51) and fifty-two (52), Town of Clinton, are hereby reserved until further notice.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Deptm't,
Victoria, 17th August, 1877. au19

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of FREDERICK RICHARDSON, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 25th November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 25th Aug., 1877. au26dw

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
14th September, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM MCNAUGHTON JONES, Esquire, M.D., to be Medical Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum. se16

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
August 23rd, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Honorable W. J. MACDONALD and J. W. DOUGLAS, Esq., M. P. P., Trustees, under the "Public Parks Act, 1876" of the public park or pleasure ground, Victoria, known as Beacon Hill. au26

COAST DISTRICT.

NAAS RIVER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Section No. 2, Block 1, Coast District, situate on the right bank of Naas River and about fourteen (14) miles from the mouth of the said river, has been surveyed in accordance with Clause 15, "Land Act, 1875," and the map thereof can be seen at the Land Office, Victoria.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 11th Aug. 1877 au12

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of JAMES SALISBURY, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 10th day of November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 10th Aug., 1877. au26dw

SCHOOL TAX, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE School Tax for the year 1877 is due and payable to the undersigned on and after the 1st July proximo. All male residents of 18 years and upwards are required to pay the said Tax under the provisions of "School Tax Act, 1876."

e30 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

Memorial to the Late Sir James Douglas.

THE FAMILY OF THE LATE SIR JAMES Douglas having expressed a desire that the proposed public memorial to their deceased father should not be erected in Christ Church Cathedral, subscribers to the Memorial Window Fund can withdraw their names, and have their contributions returned upon application to the undersigned, who acted as Treasurer. WM. C. WARD.
Victoria, 4th Sept., 1877. se5

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar by every steamer for Fort Wrangel. Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded. Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.

J. JOHNSTON,
fe25 Agent for the BRITISH COLONIST.

NOTICE.

THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES Consul has been removed to the building occupied by Messrs. Clarke & Co., auctioneers, opposite the American Hotel, Yates street. Office upstairs.

ALLEN FRANCIS,
au9 U. S. Consul.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE undersigned and William Sampson, carrying on business at the Post Office Saloon, Victoria, is dissolved from this date.

EUGENE CLARKE.
5th September, 1877. se6

Notices.

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province, of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-fifth day of October next, you meet Us in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this eleventh day of August in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-seven, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Registrar Supreme Court. au1

MILITARY COLLEGE, KINGSTON

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS FOR CANdidates desiring to be admitted as cadets to the Military College will be held at the Head Quarters of Military Districts in which such candidates reside, on the 3rd July and 18th December next, (1877.)

All necessary information may be obtained upon application to the Adjutant General at Ottawa, or to the Deputy Adjutants General of Military Districts. Applications for admission must be sent to the Adjutant General not less than one month before date of examination.

By Order,
W. POWELL, Colonel.
Adjutant-General.
HEAD QUARTERS,
Ottawa, 11th April, 1877. my1 1dw6m

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE;
17th August, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "North Arm, Fraser River School District, viz:—

Commencing at North-West corner of Lot 314, Group 1; thence due North to Southern boundary of Lot 320; thence North-Westerly along the Northern boundary of Musquiam Indian Reserve to Western boundary of Lot 320, Group 1; thence due North to North-West corner of Lot 320; thence following Southern boundary of the Hastings Saw Mill timber lease to North-West corner of Lot 3 6, Group 1; thence due West along the Northern boundary of Lots 336 and 337 to the North-East corner of 337; thence due South to Northern boundary of Lot 330; thence due West to North-East corner of Lot 258, Group 1; thence due South along Eastern boundary of Lot 258 to North Arm of Fraser River. Then commencing at North-East corner of Section 15, Block 5 North, Range 5 West, due South, to range line between Blocks 4 and 5 North; thence following the said range line, due West, to North Arm, Fraser River, including Sea Island.

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
August 17th, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of "Stanley School District," viz:—

All that tract of land included in a circle which may be described with a radius of three miles in length from the Court House, Stanley.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th, August, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Denman Island School District," viz:—

All that tract of land known as Denman Island.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield.....	Monday,	10th September
Quesnellemouth.....	Saturday,	15th "
Clinton.....	Monday,	24th "
Kamloops.....	Saturday,	29th "
Lytton.....	Friday,	5th October
Yale.....	Monday,	8th "
New Westminster....	Wednesday,	10th "

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Dated 23rd July, 1877. jy29

Assessment Act, 1876.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Tax under the provisions of the "Assessment Act, 1876," is past due, and all parties whose taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's Office, Columbia street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs. J. C. HUGHES,
my24tjel Collector.

Notice to Builders.

PARTIES DESIROUS OF TENDERING for the erection of a Cottage Residence, together with Stable, etc., may inspect the plans, etc., at my office, where tenders will be received for portions or for the whole works on Saturday, Sept. 22nd, at noon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Building to be situated on a plot of ground facing Richardson street, between Moss and Cook streets.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect,
se12 Government St.

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts

In the matter of LEON ECKSTEIN, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 24th day of September, 1877, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit, and for the ordering of his affairs generally.

C. F. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1877. se14

Ships and Steamers.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

THE FAST SAILING BRIG

DEUX AMIS,

BOUGET, Master,

Will leave San Francisco for Victoria direct on or about the 25th inst., carrying Freight at Reduced Rates. For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to Messrs. Cills & Co., 33, California street, San Francisco. S. J. PITTS, Agent.
Sept. 8th. se9

Bark Ocean Gem, from Honolulu.

NEITHER CAPT. C. HOFFMAN NOR THE owner will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

au28 CAPT. C. HOFFMAN.

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GARESCHE, GREEN & CO.,
Agents, Victoria.
jy5 Office, Wells, Fargo & Co

NOTICE.

McALLISTER BROS.

BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the

POWERFUL STEAM-TUG
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To Tow Ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, to and from any Port in British Columbia.

Ship masters will find it to their advantage to secure this Boat, as she is one of the most powerful vessels of the kind afloat, as well as having Double Disconnecting Engines, which is a guarantee of safety to ships in tow of her.

For terms apply on board at DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO'S Wharf.
Victoria, May 9th. my10

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Thursday, October 4th.

For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
fe12 Office at P. McQuade & Son's.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Barque "Halton Castle," Capt. T. E. Angel, from Liverpool.

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE cargo at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf on and after Monday the 17th inst.

Consignees are requested to present Bills of Lading to the undersigned by whom, on payment of freight, delivery orders will be issued.

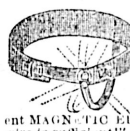
Goods remaining on the wharf after five o'clock p.m. each day will be at risk of consignees thereof, respectively.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of "Halton Castle."
Victoria, B.C., 13th Sept., 1877. se14

NOTICE—Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP BUSINESS HEREfore carried on between the undersigned as Watchmakers and Jewellers, in the city of Victoria, is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by Hy. Rudolph, who will settle all partnership accounts.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,
Witness—W. Pollard. HY. RUDOLPH.
Dated 8th Sept., 1877. se11



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Carriage for Hire.

W. G. BOWMAN'S CARRIAGE will be found from this date in front of his Livery Stable on Yates street.
July 11th, 1877. jy12

Notices.

(Copy.)

AT a meeting of the Pilotage Authority for the Pilotage District of British Columbia, held at Victoria on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1877, the following amendments to the By-laws respecting Pilotage for the said District approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 19th February, 1877, were adopted:

1. That the following two clauses be added to By-Law No. 11.

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Victoria and Esquimalt Harbors, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Clover Point (skirting Brotchy Ledge Buoy) to a point in Royal Bay, bearing W. by S. ½ S. and E. by N. ½ N."

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Nanaimo Harbour and Departure Bay, through Fairway Channel, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Rocky Point to the north end of Lighthouse Island bearing W. by N. ½ N. and through Middle Channel at or outside a line from the North end of Lighthouse Island to Horsewell Bluff bearing S. E. by E. ½ E. and a line drawn from Sharpe Point N. E. by E. ½ E. (magnetic) to Gabriola Island."

II. That the following be substituted for Clause A of By-Law No. 12:—

(A) "For vessels entering the Pilotage District of British Columbia through Fuca Straits, and coming to an anchor in Royal Roads, the pilotage shall be free. But when the services of a Pilot are required and employed, the rate of Pilotage shall not exceed $3 00 per foot according to the following graduated scale:—

	per foot.
Inside or N. of Race Rocks to Royal Bay....	75 cts.
From Beechy Head to Royal Bay.....	$1 00
" Callam Bay do	$2.00
" Cape Flattery do	$3.00

III. That the following be added to Clause C of By-Law No. 12:—

"In addition to the ordinary dues and irrespective of the provisions of Clause E."

IV. That the following be substituted for Clause 3 of By-Law No. 28:—

"For intoxication whether the same shall occur while in charge of a vessel, when required for duty or for habitual drunkenness."

V. That the following, as Clause F, be added to By-Law No. 12:—

"That steamers plying regularly, once a month or oftener, between the various ports of the United States and those of British Columbia, be included in Clause E, of section 12 of the new By-Laws, and that the same be appended to that section as soon as ratified at Ottawa, i.e. the maximum pilotage for those steamers to be $6 per foot on the inward and $6 per foot on the outward Draft, irrespective of their calling at Puget Sound on their regular trips or round voyages, but subject nevertheless to the latter part of Clause C."

(Signed,) W. R. CLARKE,
" JOHN DEVEREUX,
" COOTE M. CHAMBERS,
Commissioners.
EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secretary.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE,
Ottawa, 9th July, 1877.

I hereby certify that the foregoing amendments to By-Laws have been approved by His Honor the Deputy of the Governor General in Council, on the sixth day of July, 1877.

J. O. COTE,
jy31 Asst. Clerk P. C.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any joint-stock Co; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former act.—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my24

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtor of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MURHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.
Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

NOTICE.

WHEREAS by the 65th Section of the "Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1877," it is enacted that the said Act should come into operation on and after the expiration of three months notice having been given of the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor thereto in the British Columbia Gazette, which said notice shall be given within one month from the Lieutenant-Governor's assent thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that the said Act was assented to by the Lieutenant Governor of the Province on the 18th day of April last, and that the same will come into operation on and after the expiration of three months from this date.

Dated this 15th day of May A.D. 1877.

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
my16 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Notice to Claimants of Land.

New Westminster District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of R. Dickinson, Commissioner, New Westminster:—

Lots 391, 392, 393, 394, Group one (1).

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 8th, 1877. se9

NOTICE.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the tract of land situate on Pleasant Valley Creek, Cariboo District, and formerly held under lease granted by the Government of British Columbia to James T. Steele, is hereby reserved until further notice.

F. GEO VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 13th, 1877. se16

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 20TH, 1877.

L. P. FISHER, 23 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

NOTICE.

For the accommodation of Subscribers and others, this office will be open from 10 o'clock to a quarter to 11 o'clock a. m. on Sunday.

THE DEFEAT OF THE RUSSIANS.

The back of the Russian invasion of Turkey would appear to have been broken. The London *Daily News*, strongly pro-Russian in sentiment, confesses that the campaign has virtually ended in the defeat of the Russians, who must either retreat north of the Danube or draw together their widely extended and attenuated lines and concentrate their army in Roumelia at Nikopolis, or some other strong position where a good bridge exists. As the winter approaches the Danube will be closed to navigation and the river may be crossed on the ice in many places. The real dangers the Russians will then have to face will be that of a Turkish army crossing on the ice and threatening the Russian railway communications in Roumania. If the Turks should succeed in destroying the depot of supplies formed at Bucharest and in tapping the Roumanian railway system, the Russians south of the Danube would be as effectually cut off from the receipt of reinforcements and supplies as were the Russian armies in Asia Minor after the fall of Sukem Kaleh. If the desponding tone of the *Daily News* is justified by facts, the safety of the Russian army in Roumelia lies in its crossing as fast as possible to the northern shore of the Danube, and there awaiting friendly mediation, or preparing for the next year's campaign. The situation of the Russian army is alarming. The soldiers have been all that could be desired—strong, active, willing and obedient. But they have been needlessly sacrificed by being dashed against impregnable fortresses by ignorant and incompetent generals, who, in their efforts to imitate Moltke without his method, have destroyed the flower of the Russian Empire. The personal presence of the Czar on the field of battle inspired his soldiers to deeds of daring; but it could not supply his generals with brains. The position of the Czar is a trying one, for the recent disasters will so anger the Russian people that they may revolt and drive the Romanoff dynasty from the Throne—perhaps break the colossal Russian Empire into fragments. Who can tell? The position of Germany is being clearly defined. Germany will not be sorry to know that Russian arms have met with a great reverse and that their *prestige* is destroyed. The German and Austrian Premiers will hold a conference to-day, when family matters will be talked over and, perhaps, a plan for friendly mediation arranged. The Russians have lost more men in the recent campaign than twenty-five years of peace will replace.

THE WESTERN TERMINUS.

The Halifax *Morning Chronicle*, a staunch liberal paper, and the chief organ of the Ottawa Government in the Maritime Provinces, has an article reviewing Sandford Fleming's last report on railway progress, and sums up the report as being altogether favorable to the selection of the great Central or Bute Inlet route for the Canadian Pacific Railway. The *Chronicle* says: "In proceeding to select a good harbor reference was made to the British Admiralty and the opinions of naval officers who had served on the coast were obtained. The result of these opinions showed that, 1st, a terminus near the outlet of the river Skeena would be the nearest to the Asiatic coast and consequently the most favorable for through traffic; 2nd, that Burrard Inlet, and particularly English Bay at its mouth, "is the best harbor and the easiest of approach from the ocean"; 3rd, that the approach by the North of Vancouver Island to the Straits of Georgia is hazardous and objectionable; 4th, that the approach by the South is not much better, *and 5th, that the most important islands of the San Juan group belong to a foreign power and could, in the event of hostilities, be used to annoy British shipping entering the Straits. It appears, therefore, that it would be better to establish the mainland terminus at a point from which communication could easily be established with Vancouver's at another point, whence the railway could be taken without difficulty to one of the numerous good harbors on the Western coast of that island, and Waddington harbor becomes 'really the only terminus open for selection.'* We have given but a mere recapitulation of the many facts presented by Mr. Sandford Fleming in his report, but it is sufficient, we apprehend, to give our readers some idea of the manifold difficulties which lay in the way of making a good choice of a route through the broken country of British Columbia."

English Mail.

The Middlesex magistrates having called upon their chaplain of the House of Detention either to resign his post or dissolve his connection with the Holy Cross Society, the rev. gentleman has sent a letter to the effect that he has resigned with much regret his connection with the Holy Cross Society.

The Bishop of Manchester has announced that in future he will not ordain to the priesthood or promote to the cure of souls any one who holds the doctrines of habitual or sacramental confession.

In the course of a letter to the 'Freeman's Journal' Mr. Jenkins says:—"I invite or challenge Mr. Callan honestly to publish 'verbatim' any communications he ever received from me. His present course lays him open to very grave suspicion, which it is not my business to remove. Let him produce and publish them. Otherwise no charges he could concoct could possibly injure me or any one else. I decline to engage in controversy on imperfect extracts. At present Mr. Callan has only disclosed to the world the to me undoubtedly injurious, humiliating, and disagreeable fact that I had once been drawn to write to Mr. Callan, M. P., in friendly and confidential terms. But as to 'dishonourably broken pledges,' there is not a word yet cited by Mr. Callan, M. P., which gives any color to the accusation. This I will demonstrate if he will play the part of a candid opponent. Failing that I shall leave the public to estimate the value of his charges."

The London correspondent of the Liverpool 'Courier' writes:—The Roman Catholic bishops in this country are taking steps for revising and modernizing the Douay version of the Bible now in use, and its idiomatic Latin style is to be Anglicised by English scholars. The work of revision is to be entrusted to Dr. Newman and some English associates. Dr. Newman's mastery of the English language and his fitness for the task cannot be disputed; but besides the question of pure verbal expression, there is the problem of revising the "books" of which the Douay Bible is composed, and it is the part of the task that competent biblical scholars would consider to be more urgent in the Romanist Bible than the mere revision of idiomatic style.

England now contains two more cities than it did, letters patent having been granted for St. Albans and Truro, raising them to that dignity. The last created cities were those of Manchester and Ripon.

The reception of Messrs. Parnell and Biggar in Dublin is described as "tremendous." The place where the public demonstration was held was filled almost from basement to ceiling by an audience that could be got together nowhere out of Ireland. The crush was fearful, and the joy of the meeting great. Mr. Sullivan, of the "Nation" presided. Resolutions were passed expressing hearty approval of Messrs. Parnell and Biggar's Parliamentary conduct. The "Times" says it is useless to ignore the fact that these proceedings bode serious trouble next session.

The special correspondent of an Austrian military paper, who has followed the Russian army through the campaign, says that its losses by death and sickness already amount to two whole army corps, or 72,000 men.

New Advertisements.

Plain Cook Wanted.

A MIDDLE-AGED OR ELDERLY WOman, without incumbrance, can find employment as cook in Cache Creek Boarding School. Wages $40 per month.

Applications to be sent to the Education Office, Victoria, where further particulars may be ascertained.

se20 1w (Mainland Guardian copy.)

TO BE LET.

THAT COMMODIOUS DWELLING-HOUSE on Shoal Bay, Victoria District, belonging to the late Captain McNeill, and lately in the possession of Capt. Cooper, will be let to an eligible tenant at a nominal rent. The house has every convenience, a large orchard and stable, and is well watered.

For particulars apply to H. F. HEISTERMAN,
se20 Land Agent, Langley street.

FOR SALE.

A FARM OF 200 ACRES IN SOUTH Saanich.

A Farm of 340 Acres in Esquimalt District, with Stock, Crops, etc., as it stands.

Also—Farming Lands in Victoria District.

Money to Loan upon Mortgage at Low Rates of Interest. Apply to

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
se20 Land Agent, Langley street.

Highest Cash Price

PAID FOR

Furs and Deer Skins.

THE BUSINESS OF L. & J. BOSCOWITZ will be continued as heretofore at the present premises, Wharf street. se20

PAVILION SKATING RINK.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that he will open the new and magnificently fitted Hall on Fort street,

FOR SKATING,

On Thursday Evening next, the 27th inst.

The Hall will also be opened on **Saturday** Afternoon and Evening the 29th instant, after which the Hall will be open

Every Monday and Saturday Evenings, from 8 to 10 o'clock,

And on Saturday Afternoons from 2 to 4 o'clock.

PRICES OF ADMISSION—Ladies as spectators on the floor, Free; Gentleman, 25 cents; for the privilege of Skating for Ladies and Gentlemen, 25 cents extra; admission to the gallery as spectators 50 cts. Season Tickets may be obtained for a month at a cheaper rate.

N. B.—The undersigned is now prepared to Rent the Hall for private Skating Clubs, Parties, Balls or Concerts of all kinds at Reasonable Rates.

se20 B. C. PETTINGILL.

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell at salesrooms,

Monday, 24th Sept. '77,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS,

Reaping Machine, Iron Rollers, Double Harness, Feed Crushers, Plows, Harrows Platform Scales, Carpenter's Tools, Milk Pans, Farming Tools, 1 case Axes, asstd. Spikes, Horse Shoe Nails.

FURNITURE.

Bedsteads, Chairs, Washstands, Sideboards, Sofa, Card and Marbletop Tables, Mahogany Chairs.

Wood Seat Chairs in cases.

ALSO,

200 28lb kegs WHITE LEAD,
30 boxes Chemical Olive SOAP,
2 Cases TOBACCO, &c., &c.

TERMS CASH.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se20 Auctioneers.

New Advertisements

FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Election for Chief and Assistant Engineers of the Victoria Fire Department will take place on MONDAY, October 1st, 1877, at the house of Deluge Engine Co. No. 1, Yates street, Victoria.

The Ballot Papers will be furnished by the Secretary, and all members whose names appear on the Fifty-day and Ten-day Rolls will be entitled to vote.

The Poll will open at 10 a.m. and close at 4 p.m.

CHAS. HAYWARD.
se20 President V. F. D.

APOLOGY.

MR. J. T. HOWARD, Esquimalt.

HAVING WRONGFULLY PUBLISHED a statement reflecting on your character, and one likely to be injurious to your business, I hereby publicly apologise for so doing, and express my deep regret at having been a party to any such an attempt to injure your business or reputation.

WM. SELLECK.

Globe Inn, Esquimalt,
Sept. 18, 1877. se19 2m

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS.

THE FIRST-CLASS SIDE-WHEEL S S.

DAKOTA,

CAPTAIN - - - - - - - MORSE.

Will leave Engelhardt & Co's wharf at Esquimalt for San Francisco

On Thursday, Sept. 20th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

All Freight and baggage for her must be on the Wharf at **Victoria** by **Wednesday Afternoon at 6 o'clock.**

For Freight or Passage apply to

ENGELHARDT & CO.,
se19 Agents.

The British Columbia

PIONEER SOCIETY

WILL HOLD A

BALL

At the PAVILION SKATING RINK,

On THURSDAY Evening, 20th Sept'r

In connection with the above there will be a

TOMBOLA

Prizes for which can be seen at the store of Mr. D. GREEN, Government street.

ADMISSION to the Ball ONE DOLLAR for each person (not including Refreshments).
Tickets for the Tombola 12½ cents each.

se6 CHAS. KENT, Secretary.

G. T. SEYMOUR,

BROAD STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS

Bedding of Every Description.

MIRRORS and CHAIRS

IN GREAT VARIETY,

Gilt and Walnut Mouldings (assorted sizes) Pictures framed to order, Perambulators, Patent Window Blinds (something new).

Also, manufactures Furniture & Bedding to order.

jly02p BROAD ST., VICTORIA, B. C.

W. C. Robinson,

GENERAL AGENT,

Government St., opp. Hook & Ladder House,
Victoria, B.C. — P.O. Box 248.

CUSTOM HOUSE BROKER, RENT AND Debt Collector, Deeds and Documents of every description Drawn, Copied, etc. se16 3m

WHISKY.

HIGHLAND WHISKY, Rob Roy Brand

CANADIAN WHISKY,

(From Gooderham & Worts, Toronto.)

RYE, MALT,
BOURBON, TODDY

IN CASKS AND IN CASES.

ALCOHOL AND PURE SPIRITS.

SALT—Liverpool Fine Dairy Salt in 50lb bags.

FOR SALE BY

Richard Carr

je212p Wharf Street.

TO EAST COAST PRODUCERS.

W. R. Clarke & Co.

AUCTIONEERS,

HAVING A FIREPROOF WAREHOUSE and superior facilities for Storing and Selling Goods, respectfully solicit consignments of

Wheat, Oats, Hay, Potatoes, Stock (Dead or Alive), Furs, Skins, Oils, &c.,

Which they will dispose of at FIVE PER CENT. COMMISSION.

Rapid Sales and Quick Returns. se11dw

PETER OASTERHOUT,

DEALER IN

Hardware, Crockery, Glass & Tinware,

Lamps, Cooking Utensils, Tools, Clocks, Furniture, Sashes and Shingles,

Highest Market Rates given for Second-hand Furniture.

au22 JOHNSON STREET, opposite Store St.

REMOVAL,

DR. DAVIE

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO OPposite the back of Theatre Royal. ap20

New Advertisements.

Columbia Steam

MATCH FACTORY,

FORT STREET, VICTORIA.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING THE MOST IMproved Machinery which is capable of turning out

500 Gross Daily,

Are prepared to supply the Merchants of British Columbia with a

First-class Article at less than San Francisco Prices.

☞ Orders from the Country promptly filled. Postoffice Box No. 141.

se16dw MANSON & HENDRY, Prop'rs.

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPT. ANGEL NOR THE UNDERsigned, will be responsible for any debts incurred by the crew of the barque Halton Castle, from Liverpool. WELCH, RITHET & Co.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 15th. se16

F. Neufelder & Co.

OFFER FOR SALE

4,000 LBS. CHOICE BUTTER

Made by Mr. C. M. BEAK, 105-Mile Post.
se16 1m

Ship "Cape Clear," from San Francisco.

NEITHER CAPT. TUPMAN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Wharf st., 17th Sept., 1877. se18

SUGAR.

500 MATS STRICTLY No. 1 CHINA SUGAR.

For Sale by
J. RUEFF & CO.,
au10 1m Government St.

BY REQUEST.

A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE CITIZENS OF Victoria will be held on Thursday, the 20th September inst., at 8 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chambers, for the purpose of considering the question of a Memorial to the late Sir James Douglas, K. C. B.

M. W. T. DRAKE, Mayor.
City Council Chambers, Sept. 15th. se16

Theatre Royal.

Manager..... Mr. Frederick W. Bert.
Stage Manager..... Mr. Jas. H. Vinson.

FOR FOUR NIGHTS ONLY.

Commencing THURSDAY, Sept'r 20th.

THE GREAT MODERN SUCCESS

THE TOUR OF THE WORLD

IN EIGHTY DAYS.

(An adaptation of Jules Verne's famous work) with

New and Magnificent Scenery, Gorgeous Wardrobe, Thrilling Effects,

And a powerful cast by BERT'S

SAN FRANCISCO DRAMATIC CO.

DRESS CIRCLE - - - - - - ONE DOLLAR
GALLERY - - - - - - - - 50 Cents.

Doors open at 7 p.m.; performance at 8 o'clock.
Seats can be reserved at Redfern's without extra charge. se14

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Clerk's office, Council Chambers, Broughton street, until 4 p.m. on Wednesday the 19th September, for the construction of a Gravel Sidewalk on the north side of Richardson street, between Vancouver and Cook streets. Sections and Specifications of the work can be seen at the City Surveyor's Office, from 10 to 4 each day.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
September, 13th, 1877. se14

In the Matter of Andrew Gratton, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL PERsons indebted or having property belonging to the estate are required to pay or deliver the same respectively to Messrs. Drake & Jackson; and all persons having claims against the Estate are required to present same on or before the 26th November prox.

Dated at Cassiar, the 31st day of August, A.D. 1877.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Solicitor for Henry Thibert, Administrator.
se15dw

LOVETT'S ANNUAL RAFFLE,

TO COME OFF DECEMBER 2nd, AT THE Pavilion Skating Rink.

1st Prize—A Large Diamond 5¼ carat Ring and Pin, worth $1000; the winner can take $900 in Gold Coin or Diamond. Coin will be put up at the Raffle.

2nd Prize—A very Fine Jules Gergerson Watch, Independent Second Hand. Cost $300.

Lowest Throw takes the Diamond Slide, Cost $300.

Next Lowest—A Fine Gold Hunting Watch, Stem-Winder, Cost $130.

EVERY ARTICLE PUT UP AT COST.

A Committee will be appointed on the night of the Raffle by parties concerned. Those who are not satisfied will receive their money back.

No Tickets will be considered good unless paid for previous to the Raffle. Persons abroad have the same chance with those present. Parties can Purchase Tickets through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

Under no circumstances will any person be bored to purchase Tickets.

Returns must be made on the 25th November, 1877

The Prizes can be seen in Mr. Rudolph's Jewelery Store.

692 CHANCES at $2 50 EACH.

se13 2p J. LOVETT.

Dig Up and Throw Away your Typhoid-Breeding Wooden Drains.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN APpointed Sole Agents in British Columbia for

CLADDING & McBEAN'S

VITRIFIED STONE SEWER AND DRAIN PIPES,

Cheaper than Wood & Warranted Healthier

3-inch Bore Pipe at 20 cents per foot.

Prices for Larger Bores pro rata.

se13 W. R. CLARKE & CO.

Bayswater House.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE that they have opened the Store next (south) to Mr. Sehl's Furniture Store, Government street, with a choice assortment of

FANCY DRY GOODS.

Parties favoring them with a call will receive every attention.

se9 M. & F. GOODWIN.

Wanted.

ORGANIST

REQUIRED AT THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL Church. Application by letter with terms to be addressed to the CHURCHWARDENS, P. O. Box 170.

Victoria, Sept. 15th. se16

Wanted.

A TEACHER FOR THE BOYS' DEPARTMENT of the Victoria Public School. Salary $70 per month. Application to be sent to the Victoria School Trustees. WM. WILSON,

7th Sept., 1877. se8 Secty.

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE COGNAC FIRM WISHES to engage the services of an able and responsible agent.

Please address offers to S. 816, care Rudolf Mosse, at Hamburg (Germany). se7

Wanted

BY A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN, LATELY arrived from San Francisco, a situation to Cook and do Washing and Ironing. Apply on Chatham street, opposite Captain Clarke's. se7

MEDICAL OFFICER WANTED.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE RESIGNAtion of Dr. McInnes, the Vancouver Coal Company require a Medical Officer.

Applications for the position may be made or sent on or before the 30th inst., to the Company's office at Nanaimo, B.C., where particulars can be obtained.

Nanaimo, B.C., 1st Sept., 1877. se6

Wanted

A GENERAL SERVANT, ONE WHO CAN cook, for the Protestant Orphans Home. Apply to MRS. CRIDGE,

se5 At H. E. Ladies' School.

Wanted.

EMPLOYMENT BY A YOUNG MAN JUST arrived from Honolulu. Has had several years' experience as engine-driver, can keep books and is willing to make himself generally useful. Outdoor work preferred. Address "C.J." COLONIST OFFICE.

au22dw

Wanted.

BY A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY ARRIVED from England, employment as farm manager, or working foreman. Has had good experience in all branches connected with farming and stockraising. Address "B.A.," office of this paper. se8dw2w

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO DO LIGHT housework in the country. Situation easy and permanent. Apply by letter, stating age and references, to "A. B.," office of this paper. se2 1m

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE AGED WOman wishes a situation as Sick Nurse. Apply at THE COLONIST OFFICE.

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For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

THREE GOOD MILCH COWS.

Apply to J. PLEACE,
se16 Mount Tolmie Road.

GOOD CHANCE

EITHER FOR PARTNERSHIP OR TO buy out a

Safe and Established Business.

For particulars apply at once to

W. HARRISON,
se1 2p Next to Savings Bank.

To Be Let, Furnished,

FOR SEVEN OR EIGHT MONTHS FROM 1st October next, Fernhill, Esquimalt, (Residence of C.R. Pooley, Esq.,) together with about 4 acres of good Land under cultivation, kitchen garden, orchard and stable. The house is in good repair and contains drawingroom, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, nursery, kitchen, outhouses, etc. Good Wells of first-class water on the premises. For particulars apply to LD. LOWENBERG. au31

To Sheep Raisers.

FOR SALE.

TEN LEICESTER RAM LAMBS,
FOUR COTSWOLD YEARLING RAMS,
FOUR SOUTHDOWN YEARLING RAMS,

The best breeds on the Island. Apply to

F. REYNOLDS,
au28 London Market, Cor. Douglas & Yates Sts.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,

Commission Merchants,

OFFER FOR SALE

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

ALE—Bass & Co's, bottled by the London and Burton Bottled Beer Company, in prime order.
CHAMPAGNE—Piper-Hiedsick, in pints & quarts.
BURGUNDY—Guidard-Potheret, extra fine.
PORT—In hogsheads, pipes, quarters and octaves.
SHERRY—Duff-Gordon, in quarter casks.
CLARET—St. Julien.
BRANDY—Hennessy and Martell, in case & bulk.
WHISKEY—Jesse Moore & Co's Kentucky.
GIN—Red Case.
CIGARS—A large assortment of Havana

Commercial Row, Wharf Street.

Sept. 3rd, 1877. se4

Sandwich Islands

RICE AND MOLASSES,

EX BARK OCEAN GEM, FOR SALE BY

WELCH RITHET & CO.,
au21 Wharf Street.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNDERsigned must be presented before the 1st October next, and all persons indebted to him are requested to make immediate payment.

CHARLES SCHAFFER.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11th. se12

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that the fire on Sunday morning will not interrupt his business, and that he will be found at his post as usual.

The usual Complete Stock will be found on hand comprising:

Double and Single Barreled Breech Loaders,

MUZZLE LOADERS, PISTOLS,

Opera Glasses, Pocket Compasses,

Pocket & Sporting Cutlery, &c.

Fishing Tackle in Great Variety.

Henry Short,

GUNMAKER,

Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.
se4

NEW TEAS.

JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER CITY of Panama,

EXTRA CHOICE

Kaisow & English Breakfast Congou

OF THE NEW CROP. For sale by

RICHARD CARR,
Wharf street.

REMOVAL.

Mrs. COOKE

HAS REMOVED HER DRESSMAKING establishment from Douglas to Kane street, one door west of Mr. J. Robson's residence. au24

Fire Department.

FIREMEN!

Take Notice!

C. J. Phillips

IS THE

ONLY NOMINEE

FROM

Deluge Engine Co No. 1,

AND

Tiger Engine Co. No. 2,

FOR

ASSISTANT ENGINEER

OF THE

VICTORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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FOR

ASSISTANT ENGINEER

OF THE

VICTORIA

Fire Department,

WM. McNIFFE.

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ATTENTION, FIREMEN

JOHN STEPHENS,

Of Tiger Engine Co. No. 2,

IS A

CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION

FOR

Assistant Engineer

Of the Victoria Fire Department.

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TO THE MEMBERS OF THE

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LIST OF PROPERTY

On which Taxes have been due and unpaid for Three Years and upwards, and which will be Sold on the Fifth day of December, 1877, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, at 12 noon, in pursuance of the "Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1877," unless in the meantime the Arrears of Taxes and Costs due in respect of each lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid.

Lot.	Block.	Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Interest	Total.	Costs.
6	12	$41 51	$11 69	$53 13	$4 15
½43	14	22 37	7 44	29 81	3 60
½62	23	35 60	8 40	44 40	3 70
87	26	24 56	12 12	48 68	3 32
106	12	60 75	15 45	76 20	5 30
Part 121	13	148 50	26 64	175 14	10 25
143	Y	240 00	40 32	280 32	16 00
Part 175-9	1	48 00	18 24	66 24	4 36
244	27	57 50	16 80	74 30	5 25
245	27	28 00	8 40	36 40	3 32
309	11	21 60	4 80	26 40	2 80
379	4	26 50	9 00	38 56	2 89
½380		2 00	6 00	25 00	3 25
492	W	29 00	8 74	37 74	2 32
Part 416 17	13	110 36	33 00	143 36	3 70
535	T	290 00	75 60	365 60	19 30
602-3	M Subdv. 2	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
613-19	M Subdv. 4	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
644	K	21 33	7 60	28 93	2 92
658	U	59 00	16 75	75 75	3 50
659	U	64 00	21 65	85 65	5 75
682	21	62 50	15 60	78 10	3 40
684	S	21 25	5 65	26 90	2 35
710	R	22 52	7 12	29 64	3 00
711	R	134 02	41 54	175 56	10 30
717	Q	21 53	7 50	29 03	2 95
813	5	21 50	6 84	28 34	2 91
829	5	20 75	8 75	29 50	3 00
830	5	41 50	17 46	58 96	4 44
831	5	36 00	6 42	42 42	3 92
867	Y	34 48	13 52	48 00	3 90
876	J	19 00	6 42	25 42	2 78
E½878	J	20 71	6 50	27 21	2 86
941	42	22 19	10 07	32 26	3 11
942	42	19 31	7 38	26 69	2 83
975	6	28 62	8 21	36 83	3 35
1018	20	20 00	5 00	25 00	2 75
1023	20	28 19	11 00	39 19	3 50
1627	25	187 88	61 44	249 32	14 00
5 Acre Lots					
No. III	Part Subdv. 5	31 76	8 74	40 50	3 50
" IV	Subdv. 19	29 31	8 89	38 20	3 42
" V	Part Subdv. 2	45 17	11 80	56 97	4 34
" VI	Subdv. 4&5	62 29	25 68	87 97	5 90
" IX	2	45 00	10 44	55 44	4 27
" X	3	60 00	10 44	70 44	5 00
" X	4	45 00	10 44	55 44	4 21
5 Acre Lots					
No. XIII	Subdv. 48	29 18	10 60	39 78	3 50
No. XVII		158 81	57 75	216 56	12 34
Fairfield.					
Sec.	37	50 00	9 00	59 00	4 50
Sec.	39	44 00	7 92	51 92	4 10
Sec.	40	60 00	10 80	70 80	5 04

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.

5th September, 1877. se5

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THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 20TH, 1877.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 19—Str Alexander, Fuca Straits
Sch Pato, Hongkong
Sch Anna Beck, Barclay Sound
Str Dakota, Pt Townsend
Sch Matilda, Burrard Inlet
Str Enterprise, New Westminster

CLEARED.

Sept. 19—Str Dakota, San Francisco
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo

A Clever Rogue in Gaol.

About six weeks ago a well-dressed, dapper-looking young man of about five-and-twenty, with good figure and address, large, dreamy eyes, mutton-chop whiskers, waxed moustache, and a most charming foreign accentuation of the English language, made his appearance in town from across the line. His first visits were to several boarding and lodging houses, where he represented himself as in quest of "com-*for*-table room wiz or wiz-out board." Having finally secured quarters his next procedure was to organize a "company" with the high-sounding title of "The French Carpet Renovating Company," of which he was the President, Secretary, Board of Directors, Treasurer, Superintendent, Sole Agent and the only workman. Cards were struck off in which he announced his name to be Augustus Dieusy, and engaged to beat, clean and renovate carpets to their original beauty without removing them from the floor, and the restorative was warranted to prevent "moths and fleas." The public were requested, in conclusion, to "leave orders at the *Standard* office." Whether any "orders" were left there as requested, we are not informed; but the young man with the good figure, pleasant address, large, dreamy eyes, mutton-chop whiskers and dear little moustache, began calling from house to house to leave his "leetle cartes" and making himself so vera agreeable to ze familee, that he scarcely ever failed in securing one or two carpets to renovate before leaving the premises. Augustus was quick at his work and noiseless. Left alone in a room, in the course of a very few minutes he had cleaned the carpet and as it shortly appeared, "cleaned out" the room as well. Somehow or another in whatever room it chanced that the gentle-eyed, fascinating stranger was left at work some article was sure to be missed, when he had taken his departure; but no one ever dreamed of suspecting he of the muttonchops and glorious moustache with being the culprit. The cat, the rat, the dog, the Chinaman, might be blamed; but Augustus Dieusy, the fascinating carpet renovator and flea and moth exterminator *nevare!* Thus matters went on. Augustus' "beezniss" grew apace. He could scarcely fill "orders" that came in so rapidly that, as he expressed it on one occasion, they made his "het to schwim wiz choy." About this time complaints began to reach the Police of a series of robberies at St. Andrew's Cathedral, at St. John's Church and at private residences. Parties absent from their houses after dusk sometimes, on their return, saw a slender figure stealing softly through the gloom in the vicinity and disappearing with the agility and sprightliness of an acrobat. One family missed a coat, another a boy's jacket. St. Andrew's Cathedral lost a silver chalice. Some one else missed articles of *vertu* from his parlor, and so forth; still Augustus Dieusy came and went with his eyes, his whiskers and his moustachios and still the robberies continued. At last, at an evil hour for the culprit, the vestries of three Protestant churches were robbed in one night of coats; from the Pandora street church a silver communion cup was also taken. These crowning outrages aroused the Police and citizens to action. A sharp lookout was kept on the pawnshops and in a day or two the stolen coats were discovered in the possession of Oldenberg, the pawnbroker on Government street. The Police placed an embargo on the coats, and began a search for the thief. Yesterday morning, about ten o'clock, Augustus Dieusy, having risen from his virtuous couch, where he had slept the sleep of the innocent, carefully combed his whiskers and waxed his moustache, tripped gaily along Government street to take the customary pauched egg on toast and the cheering cup of tea, before entering on his matutinal raid on "moths and fleas." As he sped gaily along, he hummed a lively air, and paused occasionally to admire "ze pretty ornaments in ze shopwindows." As he cast his dreamy eyes on a set of diamond studs in a jeweler's shop window a heavy hand was laid on his shoulder. He turned indignantly and for an instant seemed as though he would have felled the man to whom the hand belonged to the earth for his impudence. But—the burly form of Superintendent Bowden loomed up, and Augustus Dieusy wilted. In reply to the agonizing question, "Vot you vant?" the Superintendent replied, "I want you." Augustus accompanied his captor to the Barracks, and the Police afterwards found the communion cup of the Presbyterian Church and a coat belonging to Capt. Phillips, R. M. L. I., together with pawnticketts and other articles, in his room. Augustus will be brought before the Police Magistrate today to answer for his manifold transgressions.

MLLE. DE MURSKA left San Francisco for the East August 31st, with the present husband of the *diva*, Professor Hill. Mr. De Vivo will reintroduce this brilliant cantarice to the New York public, but whether in concert or opera is not yet determined.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

GRAND opening of the Pavilion Skating Rink, Fort street, for the recreative amusement of skating on Thursday evening, the 27th inst. Neither children nor beginners will be allowed to skate on this evening. For particulars see advertisement. ∴

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The following passengers were booked for San Francisco up to 4 o'clock yesterday: J. Boscowitz and family, J. Edmonds, D. Eckstein, Miss Hamley, W. M. Neill, A. Baring, J Thorney, J. Crosson, C. Ragazzoni, Mrs. Mary Whittaker.

THE steamship Dakota arrived yesterday at 12:30 p.m. from the Sound, and will sail at 12 m. to-day for San Francisco.

H.M.S ROCKET, with Admiral DeHorsey on board, sailed for Seymour Narrows at an early hour yesterday morning.

Nanaimo.

[Free Press.]

Collector Peck caught a traveler in the act of smuggling in gold and silver watch chains and other iktas from the steamship California. Russell was fined $20, and the goods confiscated.

John Easton broke his left foot by falling from the Commercial street bridge while intoxicated.

There were no appeals against the Assessment Roll.

On Sunday evening, while Messrs. J. Hendry and D. McNair, of the Sash and Door Factory, were at Church, some person entered their residence and extracted from two trunks the sum of $180—$140 being in Hendry's trunk and $40 in that belonging to McNair. Hendry's trunk was a very strong one, and the thief took it into the workshop adjoining, wrenched the lock off with a hatchet. Although there were clothes and trinkets in the trunks nothing was taken but the money. A belt, containing a silver dollar, was examined, but, strange to say, the coin was left behind, the robbers thinking perhaps it might lead to their detection. None of the stolen property has yet been recovered, although active steps have been taken to find out the culprits.

We are informed that Admiral DeHorsey will, in a few days, visit Nanaimo *en route* to the north in one of the men-of-war. It is further said that to Admiral DeHorsey is delegated the power to decide on the ocean terminus of the contemplated transcontinental railway, and that he will make a personal inspection of the different rival terminal ports. If this distinguished naval officer should visit Nanaimo would it not be well to extend the usual courtesies—say an address of welcome from the Mayor and City Council.

Mr. T. A. Bulkley returned from San Francisco on Sunday, and informs us that work will be resumed at this mine in a few weeks.

Also, that the bark Gem of the Ocean left San Francisco on the 13th for a cargo of Harewood coal.

The contractor, Mr. Nightingale is progressing very rapidly with the stone piers for the new Commercial street bridge, especially when we take into consideration the difficulties he has had to contend against. The work of putting up the framework will commence on Monday.

Capt. Spalding yesterday went through the form of holding an appeal court under the act. Mr. Fawcett having so thoroughly done his duty, that only the form was necessary, for there was not a single appeal.

On Saturday afternoon the steamtug Alexander left with the ship Otago, with a cargo of Douglas coal for Acapulco. She towed this ship as far as Race Rocks, and on Sunday afternoon returned and towed out the ship Top-Gallant from Departure Bay with a full cargo of Wellington coal for San Francisco. In the Gulf this modern Hercules also took in tow the ship Grace Darling, laden with Wellington coal for San Francisco, and a Russian ship laden with Burrard Inlet lumber. On the way up the Alexander sighted the steamer Emma drifting on to Discovery Island, she having broke some cogs of her machinery. The Alexander towed the disabled steamer to an anchorage and took on board her passengers,—Mr. T. A. Bulkley, Mrs. Hilbert and several others—and brought them to this port on Sunday.

A chunk of coal weighing fully two tons was mined at the Wellington mine yesterday, and successfully brought to the surface.

Mr. R. Nightingale offers $250 reward for information that will lead to the conviction of the party who fired his stables on Thursday night.

The bark H. Buck with a cargo of Fitzwilliam coal for San Francisco was towed to sea by the Alexander on Wednesday morning.

Gold Discovery.

Messrs. E. Quennell and A. LeClaire have discovered benches on a creek, which they have named Boulder Creek, from which they got good prospects of coarse gold. The creek empties into the Nanaimo River, and is distant about eight hours' travel from Nanaimo. The prospects were found in the benches, which are said to be extensive. The discoverers are of the firm opinion that the diggings will pay wages and in this they are confirmed by others who have since visited the locality. A number of claims have already been staked off. Mr. Quennell, goes to Victoria this morning to record the discovery claim and take out a mining license. It is the intention of the Discovery Company to work during the winter, putting in flumes, etc. We sincerely trust that the sanguine expectations of the discoverers may be more than realized. We believe Capt. Spalding still retains his commission as Assistant Gold Commissioner, if so would it not be advisable for the Government to invest him with the power to grant licenses, etc., in this district.—*Nanaimo Free Press.*

New Westminster District.

(Guardian.)

Parties from Yale claim to have discovered a silver bed four feet in thickness on Harrison Lake. Reports come to us, apparently well based, that salmon are being taken in Harrison river in a state quite unfit for market. We recommend the persons so employed to desist at once, or, if they conceive the reports untrue, have them contradicted without delay.

A report was current about town that a good seam of coal had been discovered at Port Moody.

(Herald.)

INDIAN AFFAIRS.—We believe that the announcement of Mr. C. Schaffer's appointment as Assistant Superintendent of Indian affairs for this section of the Province, notwithstanding the authority on which it was made, was at least premature. Therefore, we do not care to make any comment on the matter at present, further than to say that the announcement has created very general dissatisfaction here.

FIRE.—Yesterday morning about three o'clock special officer Black discovered a quantity of shavings burning between Fort and View streets. Fortunately he was able to put the fire out with a few buckets of water.

THE steamer Cariboo Fly arrived yesterday at 4 30 p.m. from Nanaimo with the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Dunsmur, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, Miss I. Sabiston, Miss Jeffree, Mrs. Homer, Mrs. Edger, Mr. Fellows, A. Smith, R. Williams, E. Quenelle, LeClaire, M. Manson.

THE schooner Anna Beck arrived yesterday with about 130 bales of hay and a large number of swine from Alberni.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19.

Present—The Mayor, and Councillors Jeffree, Finlayson, Williams, Marvin, Redfern.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS

Were read from Messrs. Smith & Clark, asking permission to use a portion of Government and Fort streets while repairing the Occidental building. Granted.

Com. from Mrs. Bates asking that the water rate be reduced. Received and filed.

Com. from Matthews, Richards & Tye asking to be allowed to give their price for waterpipes, should any be ordered from England. Referred to Water Commissioner.

Com. from residents and owners of land on Chatham street asking that it may be graveled. Laid over for one week.

Com. from J. R. Hett asking for payment of $275 due Messrs. Kinsman & Styles. Referred to City Barrister.

Com. from the Fire Department asking to be allowed to draw the balance due them on suspense account, and also to draw $1000 in excess to enable them to pay off outstanding liabilities incurred on building the Deluge engine house, as the amount already advanced was insufficient.

Coun. Marvin moved that the Council pay the Department $1000. Seconded by Coun. Jeffree and carried.

Report from the Committee appointed to compare the cost of shipping iron pipes from England with the cost of making pipes in Victoria, found that the full cost of landing pipes from England will be about $63.25 per ton as against a cost of $112 per ton for making pipes in Victoria.

Coun. Marvin moved that the report be referred back to the committee in order that they may report on the cost of pipe landed from San Francisco as compared with the cost of pipe from England and pipe manufactured in Victoria. Carried.

Coun. Marvin stated that the Premier had spoken to him with reference to taking the water up to Government House, and trusted that the Council would take the matter up again, for they were very anxious to get the water and would be willing to make an equitable agreement with the Council respecting it.

His Worship the Mayor said that he had made two or three propositions to the Government, but that in each case they wanted too many guarantees, etc.

On motion of Coun. Jeffree the matter was still left in the hands of the Mayor.

Council then adjourned.

"Round the World in Eighty Days."

Most of our readers have read Jules Verne's clever story of Round the World in Eighty Days. The story opens in London where a wealthy Englishman dining at his club wages $20,000 that he will start from London on the same evening and make the circuit of the world in 80 days. He proceeds by rail and steamer to Port Said, floats through the Suez Canal and the Red Sea, makes a short cut through India, reaches China, then crosses the Pacific Ocean to San Francisco; from San Francisco to New York he goes by rail. At New York he charters or buys a special steamer, and after having passed through innumerable adventures, arrives in London "on time" and wins the stakes. This will constitute the opening piece of the Bert Dramatic Company, which will commence a short season at Theatre Royal to-night The company will bring with them the original scenery and machinery and will be enabled to produce very handsome and startling stage effects. Seats may be secured at Redfern's today.

THE steamer Enterprise arrived at 3:15 p. m. from New Westminster with a few of the X division, C. P. R. S., and 59 fine head of cattle for F. Reynolds from L. Guichon's ranch, Yale district, and the following passengers: Mrs. Dr. Trew, Mrs. Harvey, Miss Atwood, Miss Ellard, Bishop Hills, Rev. Mr. McGregor, Rev. Mr. Pollard, Rev. Mr. Good, A. E. McKay, W. Phillips, H. McKenzie, J. Shannon, J. Tolmie, A. Brigus, A. Fraser, A. Boggs, J. Gilligan, J. Smith, T. Humphreys, H. L. Jones, C. Morton, W. Wilson, Schaffer, Charity, L. Guichon, Macnamara, Southerby, P. Stephenson, Milby, Dr. Calder, Marks, R. R. Munro.

PIONEER SOCIETY BALL.—The ball of the Pioneer Society will be held at Pavillion Rink this evening. A large number of rare and beautiful prizes have been provided for the tombola, drawing for which will take place during the evening. The committee have put forth every exertion to make the event pleasant to all participants, and we have every reason to believe that those efforts will be crowned with success.

PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boscowitz and family will leave by the Dakota to-day for Europe. During a residence here of many years Mr. Boscowitz has been prominently identified as a business man with the Province, which in his departure loses a valuable and enterprising citizen. Mr. and Mrs. B. will be followed by the best wishes of Victorians for a pleasant journey and a speedy return.

THE SCHAFFER "APPOINTMENT."—The *Guardian* says the paragraph respecting Schaffer's appointment as Assistant Indian Commissioner is a *canard*. The *Herald* says the announcement was premature, adding that the mere announcement "has created very general dissatisfaction" at New Westminster. Mr. Schaffer himself was our authority for the announcement.

WE understand that commander the Hon. R. Hare, who recently paid off the Myrmidon in such good order as to secure the approbation of the authorities, is applying for active service. Hitherto he certainly cannot be said to have gained much from his family connections, or anything in particular from his own services. —*Army and Navy Gazette*, July 21, 1877.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS MEMORIAL. — A public meeting will be held at the Town Hall this evening to consider a proposition to provide a suitable memorial to the memory of the greatest and best British Columbian. His Worship Mayor Drake will preside. It is hoped that there will be a large and influential attendance. The project is one that should enlist the cordial co-operation of all classes and sections of the Province.

PEDESTRIANISM.—A walking match will take place to-day between Capt. W. Waitt and Mr. J. Lovett for $50 aside. Distance to be from Mr. Lovett's saloon on Government street to the steamship now lying at Esquimalt. The start will take place at 10:30 a.m.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq., P.M.)

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19th.

Edward Woods, on remand from the 18th inst., was discharged.

Bob, a Cowichan Indian, charged with being drunk and disorderly.

The prisoner admitted being drunk and said he got the whisky from some friends on the Cedar Hill road.

His Honor sentenced him to a fine of $1.25 or 6 hours' imprisonment.

Mattie Watkins, on remand from the 18th Sept., charged with assault, was discharged.

San Francisco Stock Market.

(Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.—Ophir 16¼; Mex 10; G & C 8¾; B&B 18½; Cala 27½; Con Va 32; Savage 7; Chollar 34½; Point 4.05; H & N 6¼; Jacket 9¾; Imp'l 90c.; Kentuck 6; Alpha 12⅞; Belcher 6¾; Exchequer 8¾; Overman 24; Utah 11¼; Julia 2½; Bullion 8¾; Justice 15⅝; Union 5⅝; Caledonia 4.

I.O.G.T. INSTALATION.—At the 8th annual session of the Grand Lodge of W. T. and British Columbia, held last evening in the Good Templars Hall, Yates street, The following officers were installed for the ensuing year: Bro. N. Shakespeare, G.W.C., (re-elected); Bro. F. Kennedy, G.W.Councilor, Sister E. J. McNutt, G. W.V.T.; Bro. N. S. Porter, G. W. Secretary; Bro. W. J. Roberts, G. W. Treasurer; Bro. J. J. Martin, G. W. Chap.; Bro. C. Garfield, G. W. Marshal; Sister S. Bean, G.W.D.M.; Bro. Reid, G. Messenger; Sister Shakespeare, G. Guard; Bro. W. Knight, G. Sentinel; Bro. J. V. Crawford, P.G.W.C.T.

SALMON.—The steamer Ada arrived yesterday from Fraser river with 973 cases of salmon for Findlay, Durham & Brodie for shipment to San Francisco. The steamer Otter arrived from the Fraser river with 629 cases of salmon for Findlay, Durham & Brodie; also, about 850 cases from Messrs. English & Co. for shipment to San Francisco.

I. O. G. T.—N. S. Porter, Esq., G. W. Secretary of the I.O.G.T., will deliver a temperance lecture in the Good Templars' Hall, Yates street, this evening. Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend. Admission free.

By Electric Telegraph.

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Morning Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Sept. 17—Telegraphic delays cause a confusion of dates in war dispatches.

There has been no serious engagements since the defeat of Gen. Skoboleff on Wednesday, in which he lost half his command.

The "Daily News," strong pro-Russian, thus sums up this morning's intelligence: "Looking impartially at the facts presented this morning we are unable to form any other conclusion than that the attack on Plevna has not only failed, but so failed that it cannot be renewed under the condition in which the Russian commander finds himself placed. He has attempted what the great German commanders never attempted in their French campaign, and has used up his slight superiority of men with extraordinary rapidity. He is liable to be attacked at any part of his front by a force larger than any which he can assemble there. In a word, he is beaten. The battle reported at Dubrick, in which the Russians were said to have been defeated, must have been, if at all, a village five miles north-west of Utratza on the Rahova road.

Reports say Osman Pasha has fortified a position almost impregnable naturally at Uratza, upon which he will retire if driven from Plevna. Anyhow the Roumanian attempt to cut his communication seems to have failed. The main body of the Czarowitch's army is concentrated between Tirstenik and Biela. The Czarowitch's headquarters are at Lower Monastier. This position from Gantra to Banica, on the Lom, is cut up by gorges, ravines and small streams, and has been strengthened by formidable earthworks. It has evidently been selected as the best cover on that side for the Sistova communication.

VIENNA, Sept. 17.—The meeting between Bismarck and Andrassy will take place early, and it seems almost as if in preparation for this event that the German cabinet issued the categorical denial of the report that Germany abandoned that reserved attitude all along observed by her on the Eastern question, and that the representations made by her in Constantinople about the Geneva convention were but a prelude to an act of policy in favor of Russia.

In official circles these rumors never excited the least belief; but in the public they did not fail to make impressions. Consequently a contradiction just on the eve of the meeting of Bismarck and Andrassy comes conveniently to stop all further conjectures and inferences which may have been drawn from them as to the relations between Austria and Germany, and take away the ground from those who neglect no opportunity to arouse and foster suspicion against the policy of Germany on the Eastern question.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Mail advices from Paris show that Thiers' sudden death was not unexpected by his more intimate friends, who claim that it was prematurely hastened by his personal efforts in the interest of Republicanism for which his physical strength was far inferior to his mental vigor.

Afternoon Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Paris correspondent of the *Times* gives further particulars of President McMahon's manifesto. It is only preliminary and will in 15 or 20 days be followed by a thorough programme clearly stating the Marshal's intentions. The manifesto says dissolution was necessary because the elections of '76 endangered the prosperity of the country by subordinating the government to the influence of radical chiefs, and because this state of affairs was tending to establish a disposition towards the despotism of the convention. The manifesto concludes: "You are told that I wish to overturn the republic; you will not believe it. What I expect of you is that you will support that chamber, which, rising above competitions of parties will occupy itself with the moral grandeur and material prosperity of France and wishes for tranquility and peace. You will listen to a soldier belonging to no party, serving no revolutionary or retrograde passion and who is only guided by love of his country."

The *Times'* correspondent is also assured that the manifesto contains the following sentence: "I cannot obey injuctions of demagogues, I shall remain and defend with the Senate the great interests which have been entrusted to me." Correspondent considers this expression so grave that he gives it under reserve.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—*Times* special from London correspondent at headquarters of the Czarowitch at Biela telegraphs under date of Monday, that a desperate engagement was fought in the valley of the Lom that day. Thirty-two battalions and 8 batteries, comprising the whole of troops under command of Czarowitch attacked Assaf Pasha's division at Sirakeny. The Turks were strongly reinforced at once and the Russians were driven back with great slaughter. The battle was in every respect a decisive one.

EASTERN STATES.

CHEYENNE, Sept. 18.—The eastern bound passenger train which passed here at 3 p.m. to-day was stopped and robbed by thirteen masked men at Big Spring, Nebraska, 160 miles east of here to-night. The robbers first took possession of the station at Spring, destroyed the telegraphic instruments and compelled the agent to hang out a red light. When the train stopped the robbers took possession, putting the trainmen and passengers under guard. The express car was broken into and the safe robbed of about $75,000. Passengers were also robbed, but of what amount is not yet ascertained. To delay the train reaching next station and the alarm being given there the fire on the locomotive was wet down. A freight train overtaking the express its engine was sent to Ogalla from whence report of the robbery was made. Robbers were believed to have gone north. Railroad Company offer a reward of $5,000 for the arrest of the thieves.

Evening Dispatch.

SOUTH AMERICA.

It is reported August 25th from Peru that Henry Meiggs, the American engineer, was very ill and not expected to live, and the whole community was in distress at the prospect of his death.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—A Berlin dispatch says: "You may rely upon it that the object of the meeting of Bismarck and Andrassy is to try to hit upon a course of mediation to be undertaken in conjunction with England.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A correspondent at Shipka reports that on the 17th after 7 hours' bloody fighting the Turks at five in the evening took Fort St. Nicholas, the highest point of the Russian works, and capturing five guns; but owing to large reinforcements received by the Russians and the extent and difficulty of the position the Turks were obliged to abandon it.

A correspondent before Plevna says on the 16th a siege proceeds by sap and trench. The Turks must soon be shut in entirely. The spirit of all ranks of the Russian army is admirable. Supplies are plentiful and weather splendid.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—The *Tribune's* London special says: The artillery of Grand Duke Nicholas still continues to bombard the Ottoman entrenchments around Plevna. During the last week the Turks are said to have lost 35,000 men, while the total loss of the Russians is placed at 15,000. That the ammunition of Osman Pasha is failing is very probable, for his soldiers have not spared bullets.

The first brigade of the Imperial guard has arrived at the Imperial headquarters at Gorny Studen.

EASTERN STATES.

WORCHESTER, Mass., Sept. 19.—The Republican State Convention organized today, with U.S. Senator Hoar in the chair.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.—Wheat—Shipping, $2.30@$2.37½; milling, $2.37½@$2.42½. Barley—Feed, $1.60@$1.65; brewing, $1.70@$1.80; other quotations unchanged.

Valuable.

The Voltaic Armadillo, Electrical Bands and Soles. Obstinate cases of Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Cold Feet, Paralysis and other affections of the Nervous System have yielded to this mild and constant but wonderful influence without the use of medicine.—LANGLEY & Co., Sole Agents for B. C. is.∴

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.—The highest cash price will be paid for Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wearing apparel at Haggerty's Store on Dufferin street. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping can meet a cash buyer for all household effects by applying at the above address. ∴

QUICKEST TIME ON RECORD—NEW GOODS TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS FROM ENGLAND.—Brown & White have just received their first instalment of fall goods, comprising new dress goods, ulsters, silk and wool fringes, buttons in great variety, ribbons, silks, laces, nets, woolen cloths, corsets, etc., etc. ∴

PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.—Orders left with M. W. Waitt & Co., Government street, or P.O. box 145, will be promptly attended to by Oliver H. Goodwin. 3m*

REMOVAL.—Dr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist, has removed to temporary offices in the Masonic Building, Government street. ***

DR. HEWES, Magnetic Healer, will be in Victoria for ten days. Office at the residence of O. C. Hastings, View street near Blanchard. ∴

THE undersigned have much pleasure in announcing that they have secured the sole agency for the Province of the celebrated Centennial Prize Medal Organ, manufactured by W. Bell & Co., Guelph, Ontario. An extensive and varied assortment has just arrived, and intending purchasers are invited to call and examine.

M. W. WAITT & Co.

3mos. * Government Street.

DR. COOL has removed to Fort street opposite the Mechanics Literary Institut, Building. ***

Auction Sales

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

The undersigned have received instructions from

Mr. C. Schaffer

To sell at his residence, Kane street, on

Saturday, Sept. 22nd,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

All his new and well-kept

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Comprising:

Splendid Drawingroom, Diningroom and Bedroom Sets,

FINE PIANO,

Choice Engravings, a lot of well-selected Music, &c., &c.

ALSO—One Splendid Violin by Steiner, made in 1763.

MUSIC—Operas for Piano, songs, solos and duetts, wite Piano accompaniments. Names of all music will appear in Auctioneer's Catalogue.

The house will be open for the inspection of intending purchasers on Friday next from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Catalogues will be found in the hall.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,

se14 Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell by Public Auction at the

Palace Hotel, corner Yates and Douglas streets,

By order of Messrs. James, Walker & Co

—ON—

Tuesday, Sept. 25th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

ALL THE EFFECTS IN SAID HOTEL,

Comprising Walnut, Maple and Mahogany bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, tables, chairs, looking-glasses, engravings, pulu, spring and hair beds, mattrasses, pillows, blankets, sheets, counterpanes, chamber sets, lace curtains, C.O. lamps, wardrobes, cornices, Brussels carpets contained in

ELEVEN BEDROOMS.

Also, WINES and LIQUORS in wood and bottle, Liqueurs,

FINE BOURBON WHISKEY,

Cigars, Looking-glass, Bar Fixtures, Oilcloth, Counter, Chandelier, choice Engravings and Glassware.

ALSO—Hall and stair carpet, rods, sewing machine, lounges, whotnot, Brussels carpets,

HANDSOME BRONZE CLOCK,

Sideboard, fine engravings, hearthrugs, gasfittings, astral lamps, ornaments, cabinet sewing machine, tables, chairs, parlor stoves, extension chairs,

DININGROOM FURNITURE,

Crockery, glassware, silver-plated ware, table cutlery, and a full assortment of

KITCHEN FURNITURE,

Extension Back Iron-clad Cook Range, with fittings complete.

☞ The Auctioneers call the attention of intending buyers to the above sale. Most of the articles have been purchased within the past two months, two-thirds of them have never been used, the whole of which can be purchased at Private Sale.

For particulars apply to

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

se16 Auctioneers

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell by Public Auction, at Salesroom, Wharf street,

Thursday, Sept. 27, 1877,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

The Complete Machinery, Engines and Boilers,

Including Donkey Engine, Force Pump and Wheel Shaft of the Steamer Hope.

The BOILERS are nearly new, having been in use but about two months.

Full inventory will be given at time of sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

se16 Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell on arrival of BARK MARMION

11 Crates of

ENGLISH EARTHENWARE,

Consisting of handled and unhandled London and Irish Teas, Ewers, Basins, covered Chambers, Soap & Brush Trays, Mugs, Vases, Teapots, Creams, Sugars, Dishes, Bakers, Vegetable Dishes, Twifflers, Soups, etc.

ALSO,

38 casks Assorted GLASSWARE.

Plain fluted and star goblets, 3rd pint and fluted ale glasses, bar tumblers, coblers, soda tumblers, lager glasses opal sets and syrup jugs.

Lamp Chimnies.

Particulars hereafter.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

se15 Auctioneers.

Educational.

YOUNG LADIES' DAY SCHOOL,
KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

MRS. BUSHELL RESPECTFULLY ANnounces that she will commence giving instruction in the various branches of education on Monday, September 24th.
Boys from Six years to Ten.
Instruction on the Pianoforte as usual.
For particulars apply to MRS. BUSHELL.
se15

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.
A class for boys under 8 years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

ANGELA COLLEGE,
VICTORIA.

FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG LAdies, Boarders and Day Pupils.
VISITOR—THE LORD BISHOP OF COLUMBIA.
LADY PRINCIPAL - - - MISS PERCEVAL
ASSISTA - - - - - MISS WRIGHT
MATRON & AS STANT TEACHER—MRS. C. WARD
The College Reopens Aug. 9th, 1877.
Application for admission to be made to
MISS PERCEVAL,
jy22 2m Angela College, Victoria.

Insurance.

Fire Insurance

The Scottish Commercial
INSURANCE COMPANY
Capital £2,000,000, Sterling.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
General Agents for British Columbia.
se4

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,
Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126.
LOSSES SETTLED WITH PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY.
T. ALLSOP & CO., Agents,
se4 Government street.

MARINE INSURANCE.
The Union Insurance Co.
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
ASSETS OVER $1,000,000.

FOR INSURING MERCHANDISE, TREAsure, Commissions, Profits, &c.
Insurances Accepted under English or San Francisco Conditions.
For information, Rates of Premium, &c., apply to
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
AGENTS.
WHARF STREET, Victoria. ap4

Imperial Fire Insurance
COMPANY.
1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.
Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my10 And Washington Territory.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch
☞ Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW. ☜
mh10 LONDON MARKET

New Supplies and Great Bargains
ARE TO BE HAD AT THE
TERMINUS STORE,
QUESNELMOUTH.
Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Patent Medicines
Of the best qualities and in varieties. ALSO,
THE BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR,
BACON & BEANS
At prices to suit the times.
Strict attention paid to Storing and Forwarding of Goods.
ap24dw6m JAS. REID.

RUPTURE CURED!

BY THE CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS, the greatest modern invention of the age. This Elastic Truss combines the merits of all others. No iron hoops or injurious springs. A child can adjust and wear it with ease and comfort day and night. Will cure the worst cases of RUPTURE. Call and examine or send for Circular. CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS COMPANY, 615 Sacramento street San Francisco, Cal. je16eowdw6m

CONSTANTINOPLE MARKET,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Opp. Metropolitan Restaurant.

FRUIT & VEGETABLES, GAME of all kinds, Fish, etc., constantly on hand and
au25 Warranted Fresh.

New Advertisements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Of the City of Victoria as at 31st July, 1877, and Estimated to 31st December, 1877.

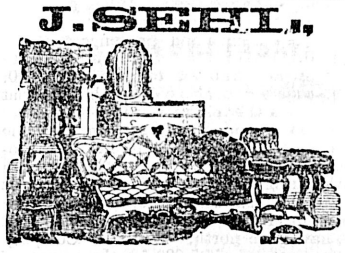
DR.		CR.	
Outstanding Liabilities and Current Expenses to 31st Decem r, 1877, viz:—		Amount of Revenue available for meeting Liabilities and Current Expenses:—	
W. P. Sayward	$ 1,264 24	Bank B. N. A., Cr. Balance	$ 2,053
Henry Rhodes & Co	1,677 04	Balance of Revenue to be Collected	29,197 00
Thomas Preece	2,278 85	Balance	8,650 39
Extension of Mains	6,600 00		
Coffer Dam Gate and Ditch	2,220 00		
Arbitration Claims and Expenses (Est'd.)	3,000 00		
Actual Current Expenses from 31st July to 31st Dec., 1877	9,478 00		
Interest and Sinking Fund	8,138 00		
Claim, Andrew Astrico	2,500 00		
Men's Labor on the Streets, etc	750 00		
Provincial Government, their proportion of the Wholesale and Retail Liquor Licenses to 31st Dec., 1877	2,000 00		
	$39,906 13		$39,906 13
Balance being probable deficit at end of the year	$ 8,650 39		

MEMO:—In the above Estimates nothing has been allowed for Contingencies or Street Improvements.

R. FINLAYSON,
J. H. TURNER, } Finance Committee.
se9 C. E. REDFERN,

SUGAR!
CARGO OF THE
Schooner UNA from Peru,
CONSISTING OF ABOUT 250 TONS CHOICE
PERUVIAN SUGAR!
Selected Expressly for this Market.
For Sale in Lots to Suit by
R. CARR,
jy23 Wharf Street.

J. SEHL,

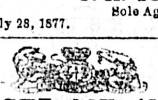


Importer and Manufacturer of
FURNITURE,
In every variety, has just received at a Low Rat of Freight, direct from Eastern Manufacturers, the largest and best assortment of
Walnut, Parlor and Bedroom Suites,
EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,
Wardrobes, Desks,
PIER AND MANTLE MIRRORS
Of the Finest Description, all of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell at LOWER PRICES than ever before offered in the Province.
An inspection of the Goods and Prices will satisfy you of the fact.
SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES from $70 upward.
CHAIRS from 50 cents upward.
ALSO—Just received a fine
COLLECTION OF PICTURES,
Consisting of Steel and Mezzotint Engravings, Oleographs, Chromos, Photos and Lithographs,
Walnut, Rosewood and Rustic Frames and Mouldings,
Carved Brackets,
Cornices Window Blinds,
China and Cocoa Matting,
Carpets, Door Mats.
REVERSIBLE PERAMBULATORS,
Spring, Hair, Patent Curled Wool, Eureka and other MATTRESSES made to order by a first-class Upholsterer,
Carpets Sewed and Laid.
Everything warranted as represented.
Goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge. no12

WELLINGTON
COLLIERY.
THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED to
Supply Cargoes of
WELLINGTON COAL
At Their Wharves,
DEPARTURE BAY
AS HERETOFORE.
DUNSMUIR, DIGGLE & CO'Y
DEPARTURE BAY, 7th June, 1877.
je9dw

W. R. CLARKE,
AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
Fireproof Brick Building, Yates St.
VICTORIA.
Real Estate, Furniture and Goods of all Descriptions Sold at Reasonable Rates.
A few Private Homesteads to be Sold.
☞ CONSIGNMENTS of Merchandise of all kinds respectfully solicited. ap7

SMOKERS
WE HAVE AGAIN TO CALL YOUR ATtention to the numerous
IMITATIONS OF THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED
MYRTLE
Navy Tobacco!
DON'T BE DECEIVED. THE STAMP
T & B
In Gilt Letters is on Each Plug of the Genuine.
FOR SALE BY J. H. TODD,
Sole Agent for B. C.
VICTORIA, July 28, 1877. jy29dw2m



"QUARTZ ACT, 1877."
THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia to "The Company which first erects, at some place north of the Quesnelle River within the Electoral District of Cariboo and in the neighborhood of some well defined Quartz Ledge, a good and sufficient Ten Stamp Quartz Mill capable of crushing ten tons of Quartz per diem, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council," in accordance with the provisions of the "Quartz Act, 1877."'
By Order,
T ELWYN,
Deputy Minister of Mines.
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
31st May, 1877. je1

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO'Y.
BANKERS,
Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN GOLD, SILVER and U. S. Currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits.
GOLD DUST & U. S. CURRENCY
PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.
Sight Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers on San Francisco, New York and Canada.
EXCHANGE on LONDON
Available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland.
LETTERS of CREDIT
Issued on the Principal Cities of the United States, Canada and Europe.
AGENTS FOR WELLS, FARGO & CO.
jy8

Dominion Government
SAVINGS BANK.
DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO present their PASS BOOKS at the office in Government street, as early as it may be convenient, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th of June, 1877.
JOHN GRAHAM,
Manager.
VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 18, 1877. au19

PLAITING & FLUTING MACHINES
FOR SALE.
DRESSMAKING, ETC.
THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.
Trimmings made to order in every style.
MRS. HALPENNY,
no2 Dressmaker, etc., Yates st., Victoria.

Ld. Lowenberg,
Real Estate Agent,
Government St., near corner of Broughton
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage loaned in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

J. FINLAYSON,
FAMILY GROCER,
Tea and Coffee Dealer,
Fort street.
BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city

NOTICE.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

New Advertisements.

NEW GOODS
HENRY SHORT,
Gun & Rifle Maker,
FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.
Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,
Central Fire Breech-Loaders,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED
mh11

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BUTCHERS,
S. E. Cor. of Government & Johnson Streets,
PURVEYORS BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO
THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL & COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.
The Largest and Choicest Assortment of
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.
QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.
jy12

PHELPS, WADLEIGH & CO.
Wholesale and Retail
BUTCHERS
Brick Building N. W. Corner of Yates and Broad Streets, Victoria, B. C.
YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.
VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

NOTICE.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE
HAVING DETERMINED TO
Relinquish the Dry Goods Trade,
OFFER FOR SALE THEIR STOCK OF
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING
HOSIERY, HATS, CAPS, ETC.,
At Greatly Reduced Prices.
BY WHOLESALE ONLY.
WHARF STREET, Sept. 1st, 1877. se2 1m

FRESH GOODS,
NEW STYLES!
H. MANSELL
Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already
Well Selected Stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.
Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.
☞ Country Orders promptly attended to. ☜
Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
jy20

REMOVAL
Mr. John Teague,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed his office to
Government Street, below Fort, opposite
oct5 the Hook & Ladder House.

JAMES SYME,
ARCHITECT
MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
jc3 1m VICTORIA, B. C.

Royal Mail Stage,
[Between Victoria and Esquimalt,
ON AND AFTER APRIL 1ST.
Leaves Victoria for Esquimalt at 8 and 11½ a. m and 4½ p.m.
Leaves Esquimalt for Victoria at 9½ a. m. and 1½ and 5½ p.m.
Fare, 25 Cents.
Parcels left at W. J. Jeffree's clothing store will be promptly delivered.
mh27 JOHN PORTER, Proprietor.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

DOMINION HOUSE
YATES STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD,
One of the Pleasantest Locations in Victoria.

THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN REFITTED AND Refurnished from top to bottom, and is now one of the most comfortable hotels in Victoria.
Excellent Accommodation is offered to Families and others.
Board and Lodging $6 per Week and Upwards.

Bed and Board per Day	$1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

se15 S. JONES, Proprietor.

PALACE SALOON,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA,
Opposite Barnard's Express Office.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE to their numerous friends and patrons that they will be happy to see them from this date. The Bar has been supplied with the
Best Brands of Wines and Spirits
The market can produce.
se15 1m JACKSON & WHITE.

The Douglas House.
THE SUBSCRIBER BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that he has leased the beautiful and commodious premises, lately the residence of Senator Macdonald, at the corner of Gordon and Courtenay Sts., opposite the Presbyterian Church, and has fitted and furnished them as a
Private Hotel and Boarding House.
The rooms are cheerful and sunny, the grounds are an acre in extent and no effort will be spared to make the establishment the most popular Hotel in Victoria.
Travelers and others will find excellent accommodation at this Hotel.
Board, with or without Lodging.
FRANK G. RICHARDS.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 1, 1877. av2

Post Office SALOON
Government Street,
OPPOSITE UNION HOOK AND LADDER HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED the above premises are prepared to supply the best quality of
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
CLARKE & SAMPSON, Proprietors.
jy14 3m

Globe Inn, Esquimalt
GENTLEMEN VISITING ESQUIMALT WILL find the best of
Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds and Meals,
To be had at the GLOBE INN.
y26 WM. SELLECK.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FIGARD
Victoria, B. C.
Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜
mh18 3m

COLONIAL HOTEL
TRANSFERRED TO THE
Driard House,
VIEW ST., VICTORIA.
First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.
SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.
Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.
BILLIARDS.
Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.
None but the very best (directly imported) Wine Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
de14 L. S. LUCAS, Propr.

ANGEL HOTEL.
Langley St, Victoria, B. C.,
FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

☞ A Fireproof Safe in the House. se3

ROCK BAY HOUSE
BETWEEN THE TWO BRIDGES,
ESQUIMALT ROAD.
IS ONE OF THE MOST COMFORTABLE Wayside Houses in the Province; and being furnished with the very best
ALES, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS
Is a favorite stopping-place for persons bound to and from Victoria.
My friends are invited to give me a call.
ap30 3m GUS. KOLP

WHY PAY 50 cents for a MEAL,
When you can procure a
Good Meal for 25 Cents
AT THE
Victoria Restaurant,
Johnson St., Victoria, B.C.
SAMUEL WHITLEY & CO., Proprietors.
au29 3m

War News!
EVERYBODY OUGHT TO GO TO H. A. WARNER'S
STAR SALOON
And practice in his new Shooting Gallery to be prepared for the Russians. The Gallery and Club Rooms open at all hours. au25

FURNITURE.
CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE
Cutlery, Carpets
And all kinds of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS
—AT—
Mansell & Holroyd's,
Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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